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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s) : James M. Thommes
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Filing Date : April 6, 2001
Title : Method And Apparatus For Receiving A
Universal Input Voltage In A Welding Power
Source

Group/Art Unit : 2182
Examiner : Shaw, C.

Docket No. : ITW 7188.62

AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

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Dear Sir:

This is in response to the Examiner's Action of July 2, 2003. It is believed that no extension of time is needed, but should one be needed, please consider this a petition therefor, and charge deposit account number 500599 the appropriate fee. Please amend the above-referenced application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 9 of this paper.



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Herewith is an amendment for the application identified above, in response to the Office Action of July 2, 2003.

FEE CALCULATION, CLAIMS AS AMENDED:

Claims after amendment	Previously paid for	Present Extra	Additional Fee
All claims: 35 minus 21	= 14	X \$18.00 =	\$252.00
Ind. claims: 5 minus 3	= 2	X \$84.00 =	\$168.00

TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE: \$420.00

Please charge this fee of \$420.00, and any additional fees that may be due to Deposit Account number 50-0599.

Respectfully Submitted

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